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FM AMEMBASSY REYKJAVIK
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7388
INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS
AMEMBASSY LONDON
AMEMBASSY LUXEMBOURG

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DEPT PASS CAB

BRUSSELS FOR FAA

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EAIR, LU, IC
SUBJECT: CIVIL AVIATION: SKYTRAIN, ICELANDIC AND OTHER LOW FARE
FLIGHTS

REF: LUXEMBOURG 0460

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1. PRIOR TO RECEIPT OF REFTTEL, EMBASSY HAD TALKED WITH
SIGURDUR HELGASON, FINANCIAL DIRECTOR OF FLUGLEIDIR
(INCLUDES ICELANDIC AIRLINES). MR. HELGASON SEEMED TO
VIEW SITUATION IN CALM STRAIGHTFORWARD MANNER WITH NO
TOUCH OF ALARM. HE NOTED AMONG OTHER THINGS THAT THERE
WERE A NUMBER OF RESTRAINTS ON LAKER'S OPERATIONS
INCLUDING LIMITATIONS ON THE NUMBER OF FLIGHTS, ETC.
HE ALSO ESTIMATED THAT IT WOULD TAKE A LITTLE TIME FOR
LAKER'S AUTHORIZATION BE BE PROCESSED. END LIMITED OFFICIAL USE.
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2. ICELANDIC PRESS JUNE 17 CARRIED INTERVIEW WITH
FREDDIE LAKER IN WHICH LAKER CLAIMED HE WOULD NOT BE
COMPETING WITH ICELANDIC AIRLINES. HIS AIRLINE
WOULD BE "BRINGING NEW CLIENTS INTO THE MARKETPLACE" WHO
OTHERWISE WOULD NOT TRAVEL FOR LACK OF SUFFICIENT

FUNDS TO PAY FOR TRANSPORTATION AT CURRENT RATES.

3. EMBASSY NOTES KEY ICELANDIC AIRLINE OFFICIAL PRESENTLY
IN LUXEMBOURG BUT PURPOSE OF TRIP UNKNOWN. END UNCLASSIFIED.
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